THE HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE V.V.S.RAO

WRIT PETITION No.11937 OF 2006

DATED 11.07.2006

BETWEEN

Alugunolla Venkateswarlu and others.

… Petitioners

and

Revenue Divisional Officer, Guntur, Guntur District and another.

… Respondents

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ORDER:

The six petitioners are residents of Panduranganagar, Guntur. They are allegedly in possession of land admeasuring Acs.28.06 cents in D.Nos.677 and 704 of Ankireddypalem village. The second respondent initiated action under the provisions of A.P.Assigned Lands (Prohibition of Transfers) Act, 1977 (the Act, for brevity) and by proceedings, dated 25.02.2006, ordered resumption of land on the ground that the petitioners are in possession of the land in contravention of provisions of Section 3 of the Act. Feeling aggrieved by the same, the petitioners herein filed an appeal before the first respondent under Section 4-A of the Act. Along with the appeal, they also filed an application seeking stay of the proceedings of the Mandal Revenue Officer, Guntur (MRO). The appeal was filed on 20.04.2006 and as no orders are passed, the writ petition is filed seeking limited relief of directing the Revenue Divisional Officer, Guntur (RDO) to pass orders.

The matter is listed before this Court on three occasions earlier. The matter was adjourned at request of the learned Assistant Government Pleader for Revenue (Assignment) to get instructions in the matter and to see that the first respondent would dispose of the stay application filed by the petitioners. Today, when the matter is called, the learned Assistant Government Pleader has placed before this Court the order, dated 07.07.2006, in Appeal Nos.1242 to 1245 of 2006 pending on his file, whereby and whereunder the stay application filed by the petitioners was rejected. In view of this, the writ

petition is dismissed giving liberty to the petitioners to challenge the order of the Revenue Divisional Officer, dated 07.07.2006.

The writ petition is accordingly dismissed. No costs.

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(V.V.S.RAO,J)

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